

## ANSWERED THE CALL

Holiday.—Passed from labor to reward, Deacon Robert Holiday, of the First Baptist Church, the beloved husband of Candace M. Holiday, on Saturday, June 1, 1907.

Funeral from First Baptist Church, Twenty-seventh street and Dumbarton avenue northwest, Wednesday, June 5, at 2 p.m.

He was taken ill while selling produce from a wagon in the alley in rear of Fourteenth street between G and H streets. The ambulance was summoned and the patient was hurried to the hospital, but he died just about the time the institution was reached. The body was sent to the morgue and the coroner notified.

Death, the hospital surgeons stated, resulted from natural causes. It is likely that such a certificate will be given by the coroner without holding an inquest.

Mercer.—On Sunday, June 2, 1907, at his residence, 2110 Eighth street northwest, George Mercer, beloved father of Mrs. Harriette Dabney.

Funeral from above-named residence Wednesday, June 5, at four o'clock.

Mr. Mercer was 86 years old, and had been continuously in the employ of the establishment now known as Dulin & Martin Company for forty-two years. At the close of the Civil War he entered the employ of Webb & Beveridge, and continued his faithful services for Mr. M. W. Beveridge and his successors until a few weeks before his death. His presence will be missed by many of the oldest patrons of the house, who have regarded him highly for his long and faithful services.

Bruce.—On Saturday, June 1, 1907, at 11 p.m., Joseph N. Bruce, the son of the late Charles Bruce, and the beloved brother of Charles H. Fannie Ware and Nannie Wilson Bruce.

The family of which Mr. Bruce was a member is one of Washington's most respected, being among the oldest and most prominent.

The funeral of Mr. William Calloway took place at Simpson Methodist Episcopal Church last Wednesday at three o'clock p.m. He was one of the good citizens of the District, and admired by a large circle of friends.

## MAY HE REST IN PEACE!

Suddenly, in Philadelphia, Pa., Edward Harris, in his twentieth year of age, departed this life on Tuesday, May 12th, 1907.

The deceased was the beloved son of Mrs. Susie Hollis, formerly of this city, and grandson of the late Mary Bell; he was a cousin of Miss Rachel Bell and Mesdames Rosa Lacy and Helen Cardozo.

Though sorrow has filled our hearts, yet we know that "He giveth his beloved sleep." "The Lord giveth and the Lord taketh away; blessed be the name of the Lord."

## FAMOUS MISSIONARY DEAD.

Atlanta.—Bishop W. A. Candler, of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, received a cablegram from Shanghai, China, announcing the death of Dr. Young J. Allen, forty years a missionary to China and a native of Georgia. He was seventy-two years of age. Surviving him are Mrs. Allen, two sons and four daughters, all of whom, except one married daughter, Mrs. Mary Turner of New York, live in China. Dr. Allen was the author of nearly one hundred books, some of which were published in the Chinese language and are widely read in that country.

## AT HARMONY CEMETERY.

COLORED MEMBERS OF GRAND ARMY HOLD EXERCISES.

Address by Emmanuel M. Hewlett—Participation of a Chorus of Public School Children.

The members of Charles Sumner Post, No. 9, G. A. R., with R. D. Goodman in command, assembled at 14th street and Pennsylvania avenue at 9:30 o'clock May 30, and shortly thereafter a number of the members accompanied Frederick Douglass Post No. 21, under Commander J. N. Mayne, to Arlington. Sumner Post veterans then boarded cars and proceeded to Harmony cemetery. Thomas J. Stuary was the adjutant, assisting Commander Goodman. Rear Admiral Charles M. Thomas Camp, U. S. W. V., also went to the cemetery. The graves of the veterans were strewn with flowers and decorated with flags. The national colors were then saluted by members of Post 9 and the 1st Separate Battalion of the National Guard, under command of Major Brooks.

The "Star Spangled Banner" was sung by a chorus of school children under the direction of Emma Patterson, the audience joining in the chorus. "Assembly" was sounded by a bugler at 11:30 o'clock, after which the salute to the dead was fired by a squad from the 1st Separate Battalion.

Chairman Goodman then called the meeting to order, and Rev. Albert C. Washington, post chaplain, delivered the invocation. Prof. J. T. Layton led the choir in a musical selection, after which Adjutant Stuart read Lincoln's Gettysburg address.

Address by E. M. Hewlett. Commander Goodman read an original poem, and at the close introduced former Justice of the Peace Emmanuel M. Hew-

lett, the orator of the day.

"Another year has passed, and we are again assembled to pay homage to the sacred dead who fought in defense of our country," the speaker said. "And we are here to express our gratitude to those brave veterans who are still with us. Many who were with us a year ago have answered the last roll call and joined the innumerable throng in the world beyond. Decoration Day, which was once observed by a single organization, is now set apart as a national holiday, and is observed by Americans in all parts of the world where they reside. In our public institutions of learning only those books are used that give little or no account of the heroic deeds of the Negro in the different wars in which our country has been engaged, and it is on occasions like this that we should instruct our people concerning the Negro as a citizen at the time of the ratification of the articles of confederation, before the adoption of our Constitution, and also of his patriotism and bravery, not only in the war of the rebellion, but also in every war in which our country has been engaged."

The speaker paid a tribute to the mothers, wives and sisters who willingly gave up sons, husbands and brothers that this might remain a united country.

Many of the colored veterans, he said, never knew a mother's love, never felt a father's care, never felt the caress of a dear sister, never enjoyed the companionship of a brother. Cruel slavery had robbed them of all of the pleasures of the family and the home. They remembered the cruelties of slavery, they remembered those they had left in bondage, and determined to strike a blow that would for all time seal the fate of slavery. He paid a glowing tribute to the bravery of the colored soldiers at Wagner, Port Hudson, Helena, Mobile, Fort Fisher, Ouluste and Fort Pillow. He spoke of the manhood of the colored soldiers in refusing to receive any pay from the government for over a year, until they were paid the same pay as white soldiers, thereby establishing their right to be regarded not expressly as colored soldiers, but as men. After calling attention to the fact that the first blood shed in defense of this country was that of Crispus Attucks, a Negro and a runaway slave, he spoke of many instances in which the Negro had distinguished himself in the Revolutionary War, the War of 1812 and the Spanish-American War. The speaker added:

"In spite of our record as soldiers and sailors, the door of hope at West Point and Annapolis has been shut in our faces. The sons of those who fought to destroy the Union are welcomed where the sons of those without whom our cause would have been lost are not only not welcomed, but are not allowed. Battle-captured veterans are driven from the army in disgrace, then it is plain to every fair-minded man that they are innocent victims of a well-laid scheme to harass the Negro and insist that he as a soldier shall not be quartered in some sections of our country. He contended that all the Negro had accomplished as citizen was made possible by the heroism of the Negro soldier."

The choir, under Prof. Layton, sang another selection, and at the close the bugler sounded "taps." The services ended with benediction, pronounced by Chaplain Washington.

## HAD TO PAY.

The suit of Mrs. Kate Stewart against "The Ladies' Mutual Immediate Relief Society" (corporation), which involved the right of the society to close its treasury, and during the time it is closed, withhold the payment of sick benefits from its members, was held before Justice of the Peace S. C. Mills, sub-district No. 2, on the 17th ult.

Mrs. Stewart, the plaintiff, was represented by Attorney W. C. Martin, and Mrs. Virginia Tinney and Mrs. Ada C. Green, president and secretary, respectively, of the society, retained Attorney Campbell Carrington to represent the organization. The case was argued at length by the counsel for the plaintiff and defendant, at the conclusion of which the court took the case under advisement. Last week the court rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for \$12.40, the full amount for which she sued, and costs. The society, through Mesdames Tinney, Chase and Matilda Payne, declined to take an appeal and promptly settled the matter with Mr. Martin by paying the judgment and costs.

## ANOTHER HAS CROSSED.

From Montana Plaindealer. The funeral of Dudley Peyton was held from St. James Church on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, in charge of R. J. Fletcher Lodge, No. 101, A. F. and A. M., Mr. Peyton being a member of that fraternity, though hailing from another lodge at Washington, D. C. The sermon was ably preached by Rev. W. T. Osborne, and in it a valuable lesson to our young men was set forth. Mr. Peyton was a newcomer to Montana; but by his steady habits and upright living he had made a host of friends, who mourn his demise. He was a nephew to our well-known citizen William Mason, as well as a cousin of J. L. Ellis, who have the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

A lamentable feature was that Mr. Peyton was to have been married to one of our estimable young ladies the 26th of this month; but cruel fate had decreed otherwise, and at whose com-

mand we all bow in humble acquiescence.

## RECALL WEDDING INVITATIONS.

A mysterious telegram, signed "Doctor," announcing the illness of the groom-to-be, Clifford A. Sampson, of Brooklyn, has caused the recall of the five hundred invitations sent out for the marriage of Miss Ethel May Towns, in Malden. Meanwhile Miss Towns, with an intimate woman friend, has gone to Brooklyn to clear up the mystery of her intended husband's sudden indisposition. Miss Towns first met Mr. Sampson in New York a few years ago, and since that time he had been a frequent visitor to the Towns home, in Malden, sometimes spending a week or two at a time. The engagement was announced in February. The telegram received by Miss Towns failed to state where the young man is, and his bride-to-be had no previous knowledge of his illness. Although the young man is said to have the family that he was a physical instructor at the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A., officials of that institution declare that no such person is known to them.

## POEM

On the "National Baptist Congress and Young People's Chautauqua."

Written for the National Baptist Union by Thos. W. J. Tobias, New Orleans, La.

Behold the mighty army,  
A multitudinous host,  
Praising God the Father,  
Son, and Holy Ghost.

It is the National Congress,  
The Baptist Christian youth;  
They journey to our city,  
Bringing the gospel truth.

All hail them as they enter,  
And cheer them as they pass;  
And at their feet your trophies  
Of Christian homage cast.

The young folks of the Baptist Church  
Compose this National Congress;  
They represent the future Church,  
The Baptist growth and progress.

Their object is to stimulate  
Our Baptist Christian youth  
In Christian activity,  
In friendship, love and truth.

To give them inspiration,  
And to enhance their zeal,  
To labor for the Master  
Till every foe shall yield.

Let every loyal Baptist  
Rally to his post,  
And swell this mighty number  
Of the Baptist host.

Who come on a great mission  
From every State and town,  
Bringing Baptist workers  
And leaders of renown.

Go forth, ye Baptist workers,  
To every State and town;  
Go, carry the gospel message  
Wherever man is found.

Go into the highways,  
And in the byways search;  
Take the world for Jesus  
And the Baptist Church!

## (FROM THE PRESS BUREAU.)

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H. J. Pinkett,  
Attorney for Press Bureau.  
1133 15th St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

## IMPORTANT NEGRO CONFERENCE.

From the Southern Workman. The eleventh annual meeting of the Hampton Negro Conference will be held July 30-31 at Hampton Institute, to be followed by the fourth annual session of the National Association of Negro Teachers on August 1 and 2. These meetings will probably bring together a large number of able colored men and women from every section of the country.

Tuesday, the first day of the Hampton Conference, will be given to the discussion of agriculture in its relation to the welfare of the Negro race. An effort will be made to determine the obstacles which colored men experience in their efforts to encourage agriculture. Instances of successful farming will be described and the results of agricultural experiments will be exhibited in order to show the possibilities of farming according to the improved methods encouraged by the United States

## LEGAL NOTICE.

SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Holding a Probate Court.

No. 13209, Administration. This is to give notice that the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia letters testamentary on the estate of Allen B. Hamm, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the third day of June, A.D. 1908; otherwise they may be excluded from all benefit of said estate. Given under my hand this third day of June, 1907.

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"Excursion rate for the Sunday School Congress at New Orleans has been announced for the Southwestern Passenger Association, which includes that territory lying south of Missouri and west of the Mississippi, comprising Southern Kansas, Arizona, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Texas and Southern Louisiana. The fare will be one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip.

The rate for the Southeastern Association, which is that territory lying south of the Ohio River, east of the Mississippi, and south of the Potomac, has been announced for the Sunday School Congress as one fare for the round trip plus 25 cents.

The tickets will be on sale in both associations June 24 and 25, good to return on leaving New Orleans up to and including midnight, July 1, which is Monday."

Government and taught in agricultural schools.

On Wednesday the Conference will consider questions relating to the health and morals of the race. Some of the subjects discussed on this day will be the use of patent medicine in Negro communities, the effect of vagrancy laws upon crime among the Negroes, and the education of the Negro minister. The educational discussions of the Conference will be merged in those of the National Association of Negro Teachers, which begins on Thursday. This is the fourth session of the association. The success of the preceding sessions at Nashville and Atlanta, with a representation of seventeen States, and at Washington, D. C., last year, with twenty States represented, promises a heavy interest and a profitable meeting this year.

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